

SENIOR FRONTEND / UI ARCHITECT

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Senior frontend and UI architect with 12+ years of experience designing and scaling enterprise web applications. Specializes in frontend architecture, performance, accessibility, and UI standards, with a track record of owning foundational systems that enable teams to ship safely and consistently across complex product environments.

SKILLS

-  • Frontend Architecture & Standards: Design Systems, UI Architecture, Accessibility (WCAG), Performance Optimization
-  • Frontend Technologies: React, TypeScript, JavaScript (ES6+), Angular, Vue.js, Tailwind CSS, HTML/CSS
-  • UI Engineering: Component-Driven Development, Responsive Design, Data-Driven Interfaces
-  • Backend Technologies: Node.js, PHP, RESTful APIs, Content Management Systems (CMS)
-  • Testing & Debugging: Jest, Cypress, Mocha, Browser DevTools, Code Review
-  • Development & Build Tools: Webpack, Git, CI/CD (AWS), Docker
-  • Design Tools: Figma, Sketch, Adobe Creative Cloud, Storybook
-  • Leadership & Collaboration: Team Leadership, Cross-Functional Collaboration, Mentorship, Agile Methodologies

EXPERIENCE

Founder & Lead Developer

DL WebWorx LLC 📍 Remote, USA 🗓 08/2024 - Present

- Served as frontend architect and technical lead for client engagements, defining UI architecture, standards, and long-term technical direction.
- Designed and implemented scalable, accessible frontend systems using React, Angular, and Vue, prioritizing maintainability and predictable delivery.
- Acted as senior technical partner to clients, guiding architectural decisions and reducing long-term risk in growing codebases.

Senior Software Engineer (Front End)

QuSecure 📍 Remote, USA 🗓 02/2024 - 07/2024

- Built and refined UI components for an award-winning cybersecurity platform using React and Tailwind CSS, improving responsiveness and visual consistency.
- Collaborated with design and product to uphold high standards for maintainability, accessibility, and user experience.
- Led frontend code reviews to ensure quality, consistency, and long-term sustainability.

Sr. Front End Developer (Project Consultant)

AIM Consulting Group 📍 Remote, USA 🗓 04/2023 - 08/2023

- Designed and implemented complex data presentation features like infinite scrolling and row grouping using AG Grid, enhancing user interaction.
- Streamlined API integrations for a user management application, improving data flow and frontend reliability.
- Collaborated with the design team to apply Material Design principles, creating a cohesive and intuitive user experience.

Studio Senior Engineer

Deloitte Digital 📍 New York, NY 🗓 09/2021 - 01/2023

- Served as lead frontend engineer and UI standards owner on a high-visibility CDC platform, establishing shared architecture, style guides, and accessibility standards.
- Set frontend technical direction for a React-based enterprise platform, balancing delivery speed with long-term quality and correctness.
- Mentored engineers and led code reviews to enforce consistency and sustainable patterns across teams.
- Built Vue components for an AI-driven chatbot interface and contributed to internal Angular applications.

Vice President, Institutional Securities Technology

Morgan Stanley  New York, NY  03/2021 - 09/2021

- Senior frontend engineer (Vice President title) contributing to the UI architecture of a financial planning workbench used by institutional clients.
 - Collaborated with cross-functional teams to modernize Angular-based systems and improve usability and workflow efficiency.
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Senior UX Developer

Fashionphile  Lehi, UT  12/2018 - 03/2021

- Drove the creation of a Vue.js-based web application for Neiman Marcus, facilitating seamless inventory access for store associates and enhancing operational efficiency.
 - Revamped CSS and JavaScript build processes, optimizing integration with AWS CI/CD pipelines and improving deployment workflows.
 - Refreshed Customer Signup/Login flow to help improve customer experience and security.
 - Guided the creation and implementation of a React component library using Next.js based on updated Style Guides.
 - Mentored junior developers, fostering a culture of continuous learning and adherence to best practices in coding standards.
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Web & UI Developer

Software Technology Group  Salt Lake City, UT  10/2017 - 12/2018

- Delivered web solutions for high-profile clients, including MRM/McCann and Cisco, ensuring alignment with client specifications and industry best practices.
 - Designed and implemented engaging web UI applications and promotional landing pages, contributing to enhanced brand visibility and user engagement.
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Freelance Web & UI Developer

Freelance Contractor  Salt Lake City, UT  10/2015 - 10/2017

- Managed multiple short-term projects, including website redesigns and new application designs, tailoring solutions to client needs and enhancing user experiences.
 - Implemented new features and fixes for various web applications, ensuring high-quality deliverables and client satisfaction.
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Front-End Web Developer

ZAGG Inc.  Salt Lake City, UT  09/2012 - 10/2015

- Played a key role in multiple product launches, contributing to the migration to responsive web design and enhancing user accessibility.
 - Worked collaboratively on the migration to the Magento e-commerce platform, ensuring a seamless transition and improved user experience.
 - Developed promotional web pages and designed engaging web banners, boosting brand presence during key marketing campaigns.
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EDUCATION

Neumont College of Computer Science

Bachelor of Science (BS), Computer Science

PORTFOLIO & LINKS

Personal Website & Portfolio: <https://donaldlivingston.com>

Professional Intro Video: <https://youtube.com/shorts/mwww4J0-oL8k>

LinkedIn Profile: <https://www.linkedin.com/in/donaldlivingston>

GitHub Profile: <https://github.com/dlivingston>

UtahJS Conf Presentation - K.I.S.S.ing Webpack: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=iOZvkuTki2s>